
**HOUSE BILLS, HISTORY OF
IN THE HOUSE**

HB 1. Bill was not filed.

HB 2. Relating to public education and public school finance matters; imposing criminal penalties.

Authors(s): Grusendorf

Read first time 6. Referred to Public Education 6. Correction in referral 7. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 7. Committee report filed with committee coordinator 23. Calendars Committee rule adopted 11. Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 12. Read second time 27. Statement of legislative intent recorded in journal 27. Motion to print 28. Motion prevails 28. Record vote (RV#9) 28. Statement of vote recorded in journal 28. Motion for the previous question 29. Motion lost 29. Record vote (RV#10) 29. Statement of vote recorded in journal 30. Amendment offered (1-Hochberg) 30. Motion to table lost 41. Record vote (RV#11) 41. Amended (1-Hochberg) 42. Record vote (RV#12) 42. Statement of vote recorded in journal 42. Amendment offered (2-Casteel) 42. Motion to table lost 44. Record vote (RV#13) 44. Statement of vote recorded in journal 44. Amended (2-Casteel) 45. Amended (3-Oliveira) 45. Amendment withdrawn (4-McReynolds) 45. Amendment offered (5-Homer) 46. Motion to table lost 47. Record vote (RV#14) 47. Statement of vote recorded in journal 48. Amended (5-Homer) 48. Motion to adopt amendments on Speaker's desk 48. Motion prevails 48. Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 48. Reason for vote recorded in journal 48. Amended (6-Dutton) 48. Amended (7-Dutton) 49. Amended (8-Dutton) 49. Amended (9-Giddings) 49. Amended (10-Coleman) 50. Amended (11-Kolkhorst) 50. Amended (12-Turner) 50. Amended (13-Campbell) 51. Amended (14-Merritt) 52. Amended (15-Casteel) 52. Amended (16-Casteel) 52. Amended (17-Callegari) 52. Amended (18-Callegari) 53. Amended (19-Merritt) 54. Amended (20-Phillips) 54. Amended (21-Eissler) 54. Amended (22-Madden) 55. Amended (23-Truitt) 55. Amended (24-Coleman) 56. Amended (25-Hill) 56. Amended (26-Dunnam) 57. Amended (27-Madden) 58. Amended (28-Alonzo) 58. Amended (29-Merritt) 59. Amended (30-Villarreal) 60. Amended (31-Dutton) 60. Amended (32-Nixon, Gallego, H) 61. Amended (33-Merritt) 61. Amended (34-B. Brown) 61. Amended (35-McReynolds) 62. Amended (36-Hamilton) 62. Amended (37-Merritt) 62. Amended (38-Eissler) 63. Amended (39-Eissler) 63. Amended (40-Alonzo) 63. Amended (41-Coleman) 64. Amended (42-Naishtat) 65. Amended (43-Eissler) 65. Amended (44-Eissler) 65. Amended (45-Hope) 66. Amended (46-Anderson) 66. Amended (47-Leibowitz) 69. Amended (48-Alonzo) 69. Amended (49-McReynolds) 71. Amended (50-McReynolds) 71. Amended (51-McReynolds) 71. Amended (52-J. Keffer) 71. Amended (53-Alonzo) 71. Amended (54-Alonzo) 72. Amended (55-Flores) 72. Amended (56-McCall) 74. Failed to pass to engrossment 93. Record vote (RV#15) 93. View house vote (RV#15) 93. Statement of vote recorded in journal 94. Reason for vote recorded in journal 94.

HB 3. Relating to property tax relief and protection of taxpayers, certain taxes, fees, and property, and other matters relating to the financing of public schools; providing civil and criminal penalties; making an appropriation.

Authors(s): Keffer, Jim

Read first time 6. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 6. Committee report filed with committee coordinator 23. Calendars Committee rule adopted 12. Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 12. Read second time 95. Amended (1-J. Keffer) 95. Amended (2-J. Keffer) 95. Amended (3-J. Keffer) 96. Amendment tabled (4-Coleman) 96. Record vote (RV#16) 96. Statement of vote recorded in journal 97. Amendment tabled (5-Eiland) 97. Record vote (RV#17) 97. Amended (6-Coleman) 98. Amendment offered (7-Howard) 99. Point of order sustained-amendment 99. Amended (8-Hartnett) 99. Amended (9-Talton) 101. Amendment withdrawn (10-Hill) 101. Amended (11-Villarreal) 102. Amendment offered (12-Hopson) 103. Amendment amended (13-Hopson) 103. Amendment as amended tabled (12-Hopson) 104. Record vote (RV#18) 104. Failed to pass to engrossment 104. Record vote (RV#19) 104. View house vote (RV#19) 104. Statement of vote recorded in journal 105.

HB 4. Bill was not filed.

HB 5. Bill was not filed.

HB 6. Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds or other obligations to fund capital projects at public institutions of higher education; making an appropriation.

Authors(s): Morrison

Read first time 6. Referred to Higher Education 6. Committee report filed with committee coordinator 23. Read second time 12. Amended (1-Turner) 13. Statement of legislative intent recorded in journal 13. Passed to engrossment as amended 13. Constitutional three day rule suspended 14. Record vote (RV#3) 14. Statement of vote recorded in journal 14. Read third time 14. Amended (1-Morrison) 14. Passed as amended 15. Record vote (RV#4) 15. View house vote 15. Subject to Art.III Sec.49a Texas Constitution 15. Statement of vote recorded in journal 15. Reported engrossed 108.

HB 7. Bill was not filed.

HB 8. Relating to property tax relief and protection of taxpayers, certain taxes, fees, and property, and other matters relating to the financing of public schools; providing civil and criminal penalties; making an appropriation.

Authors(s): Swinford

Read first time 196. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 196. Committee report filed with committee coordinator 206.

HB 9. Bill was not filed.

HB 10. Bill was not filed.

HB 11. Relating to the compensation of state judges and county judges, to retirement benefits for state judges, and to providing funds for court-related purposes; making an appropriation.

Authors(s): Hartnett; Luna; Alonzo; Gonzales

Senate Sponsor(s): Duncan

Companion document(s): SB 6

Read first time 6. Referred to Judiciary 6. Committee report filed with committee coordinator 23. Read second time 16. Passed to engrossment 16. Record vote (RV#5) 16. Statement of vote recorded in journal 16. Constitutional three day rule suspended 17. Record vote (RV#6) 17. Read third time 17. Passed 17. Record vote (RV#7) 17. View house vote 17. Subject to Art.III Sec.49a Texas Constitution 18. Statement of vote recorded in journal 18. Reason for vote recorded in journal 18. Reported engrossed 108. Senate passage reported 165. Reported enrolled 197. Signed in the house 189. Sent to the comptroller 211. Sent to the governor 216. Signed by the governor 222.

HB 12. Relating to limiting the use of eminent domain to take private property for private parties or economic development purposes and to certain eminent domain procedures.

Authors(s): Corte, Frank

Read first time 6. Referred to Land & Resource Management 6.

HB 13. Relating to furthering competition in the communications industry.

Authors(s): King, Phil; McClendon

Companion document(s): SB 5

Read first time 6. Referred to Regulated Industries 6. Committee report filed with committee coordinator 23. Read second time 20. Postponed 20. Laid out as postponed business 26. Postponed 27. Laid out as postponed business 113. Postponed 113. Laid out as postponed business 120. Postponed 120. Laid out as postponed business 139. Postponed 139. Laid out as postponed business 146. Statement of legislative intent recorded in journal 146. Amended (1-P. King) 146. Statement of legislative intent recorded in journal 147. Amendment tabled (2-Anderson) 148. Record vote (RV#25) 148. Statement of vote recorded in journal 149. Amendment tabled (3-Talton) 149. Record vote (RV#26) 149. Statement of vote recorded in journal 150. Amendment tabled (4-Baxter) 151. Record vote (RV#27) 151. Statement of vote recorded in journal 152. Amended (5-Vo) 152. Amendment withdrawn (6-Vo) 152. Amendment tabled (7-Y. Davis) 153. Record vote (RV#28) 153. Statement of vote recorded in journal 154. Amendment withdrawn (8-Vo) 154. Statement of legislative intent recorded in journal 155. Postponed 156. Companion considered in lieu of (SB 5) 168. Laid on the table subject to call 169.

HB 14. Relating to increasing the amount of the residence homestead exemption from ad valorem taxation for public school purposes to \$45,000, providing for an adjustment of the limitation on the total amount of ad valorem taxes that may be imposed for those purposes on the homesteads of the elderly or disabled to reflect the increased exemption amount and changes in school district ad valorem tax rates, and protecting school districts against the resulting loss in local revenue.

Authors(s): Hopson; Farabee; Bonnen; Cook, Robby; Hughes

Read first time 7. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 7.

HB 15. Relating to the use of the power of eminent domain by a political subdivision.

Authors(s): Peña

Read first time 21. Referred to Land & Resource Management 21.

HB 16. Relating to limits on the use of the power of eminent domain.

Authors(s): Woolley; Corte, Frank; Peña; Edwards; Kolkhorst

Read first time 21. Referred to Land & Resource Management 21. Committee report filed with committee coordinator 190. Companion considered in lieu of (SB 7) 173. Laid on the table subject to call 186.

HB 17. Relating to the appropriation to the Department of State Health Services for trauma facility and emergency medical services activities.

Authors(s): Delisi

Read first time 21. Referred to Appropriations 21.

HB 18. Relating to the expansion of faith- and community-based health and human services initiatives.

Authors(s): Delisi

Read first time 22. Referred to Public Health 22. Committee report filed with committee coordinator 107.

HB 19. Relating to the authorization of a local option election in a county to set a limit of less than 10 percent but not less than three percent on the maximum average annual increase in the appraised value of residence homesteads for ad valorem tax purposes.

Authors(s): Riddle; Howard, Charlie

Read first time 22. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 22.

HB 20. Relating to limiting the maximum average annual increase in the appraised value of real property for ad valorem tax purposes to three percent.

Authors(s): Bonnen

Read first time 22. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 22.

HB 21. Relating to state taxes and financing schools through those taxes; providing penalties.

Authors(s): Rodriguez

Read first time 22. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 22.

HB 22. Relating to an exception for certain employees of the Texas Lottery Commission from the application of the employment-at-will doctrine.

Authors(s): Flores

Read first time 22. Referred to State Affairs 22.

HB 23. Relating to prohibiting discrimination based on a student's secondary school in awarding certain financial aid for higher education.

Authors(s): Howard, Charlie

Read first time 22. Referred to Higher Education 22.

HB 24. Relating to the regulation of drivers education and driving safety programs by the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation.

Authors(s): McCall

Read first time 22. Referred to Public Education 22.

HB 25. Relating to the authority of the Sweeny Hospital District to borrow money.

Authors(s): Bonnen

Read first time 22. Referred to County Affairs 22.

HB 26. Relating to responsibilities of certain state agencies concerning radioactive substances; imposing fees and surcharges.

Authors(s): Bonnen

Read first time 22. Referred to Environmental Regulation 22.

- HB 27.** Relating to the appointment of a magistrate in the district courts in Henderson County.
Authors(s): Brown, Betty
Read first time 22. Referred to Judiciary 22.
- HB 28.** Relating to providing a five percent limit on real property appraisal increases for ad valorem tax purposes.
Authors(s): Hope
Read first time 106. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 106.
- HB 29.** Relating to limiting the maximum average annual increase in the appraised value of residence homesteads for ad valorem taxation by a school district to five percent.
Authors(s): Bohac; Leibowitz; Kolkhorst
Read first time 106. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 106.
- HB 30.** Relating to bullying as a ground for removing a public school student from class and placing the student in a disciplinary alternative education program.
Authors(s): Raymond
Read first time 106. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 106.
- HB 31.** Relating to public education and public school finance matters.
Authors(s): Hochberg; Raymond; Hopson
Read first time 106. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 106.
- HB 32.** Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for the University of Houston.
Authors(s): Coleman
Read first time 106. Referred to Higher Education 106.
- HB 33.** Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for the University of Houston–Downtown.
Authors(s): Coleman
Read first time 106. Referred to Higher Education 106.
- HB 34.** Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for Texas Southern University.
Authors(s): Coleman
Read first time 107. Referred to Higher Education 107.
- HB 35.** Relating to the sale of facilities of public institutions of higher education to real estate investment trusts.
Authors(s): Morrison
Read first time 107. Referred to Higher Education 107.
- HB 36.** Relating to the operation and funding of the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association, including funding of coverage for certain catastrophic events through the establishment of a revenue bond program.
Authors(s): Eiland; Seaman
Read first time 107. Referred to Insurance 107.
- HB 37.** Relating to the compensation and duties of Texas Lottery Commission members.
Authors(s): Goolsby
Read first time 107. Referred to State Affairs 107.
- HB 38.** Relating to residential property exemptions from assessments and impact fees in the Greater East End Management District.

Authors(s): Noriega, Melissa

Companion document(s): SB 19

Read first time 114. Referred to Local Government Ways & Means 114.

HB 39. Relating to the property interests of spouses in connection with certain separate and community property.

Authors(s): Goodman

Read first time 114. Referred to Juvenile Justice & Family Issues 114.

HB 40. Relating to social security coverage for employees of public school districts.

Authors(s): Herrero

Read first time 114. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 114.

HB 41. Relating to the location of concrete stockpiles at certain portable concrete crushing facilities.

Authors(s): Edwards

Read first time 114. Referred to Environmental Regulation 114.

HB 42. Relating to providing an exemption from ad valorem taxation of the full value of the residence homesteads of individuals 65 years of age or older.

Authors(s): Edwards

Read first time 115. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 115.

HB 43. Relating to the addition of certain territory to the Greater Southeast Management District.

Authors(s): Edwards

Read first time 115. Referred to Urban Affairs 115.

HB 44. Relating to the creation of the South Central Management District; providing authority to impose a tax and issue a bond or similar obligation.

Authors(s): Edwards

Read first time 115. Referred to Urban Affairs 115.

HB 45. Relating to financing children's health insurance.

Authors(s): Edwards

Read first time 115. Referred to Appropriations 115.

HB 46. Relating to participation of certain annuitants and their dependents in the state employees group benefits program.

Authors(s): Blake

Read first time 115. Referred to Pensions & Investments 115.

HB 47. Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for Stephen F. Austin State University.

Authors(s): Blake

Read first time 115. Referred to Higher Education 115.

HB 48. Relating to the establishment by the commissioners court of a county for purposes of ad valorem taxation of a limit of less than 10 percent but not less than three percent on the maximum average annual percentage increase in the appraised value of residence homesteads in the county.

Authors(s): Howard, Charlie

Read first time 115. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 115.

HB 49. Relating to the jurisdiction of certain home-rule municipalities on a barrier island in the Gulf of Mexico.

Authors(s): Mowery

Companion document(s): SB 30

Read first time 115. Referred to Land & Resource Management 115.

HB 50. Relating to highway signs for certain businesses related to agriculture.

Authors(s): Phillips

Companion document(s): SB 22

Read first time 115. Referred to Transportation 115.

HB 51. Relating to appropriations for textbooks.

Authors(s): Nixon

Companion document(s): SB 38

Read first time 115. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 115.

HB 52. Relating to the salary paid to certain professional employees of public schools.

Authors(s): Casteel; Hopson

Read first time 115. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 115.

HB 53. Relating to property tax relief, health insurance for public school teachers, and public school textbooks.

Authors(s): Merritt; McReynolds; Campbell; Goolsby

Read first time 120. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 120.

HB 54. Relating to the limitation on the maximum average annual percentage increase in the appraised value of residence homesteads for ad valorem tax purposes.

Authors(s): Bohac

Read first time 121. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 121.

HB 55. Relating to the annual adjustment for inflation of the amount of the residence homestead exemption from ad valorem taxation by a school district.

Authors(s): Bohac

Read first time 121. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 121.

HB 56. Relating to the operation of a system of community supervision.

Authors(s): Madden

Read first time 134. Referred to Corrections 134.

HB 57. Relating to the salary paid to certain professional employees of public schools.

Authors(s): Peña

Read first time 134. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 134.

HB 58. Relating to making appropriations to fund certain new district courts.

Authors(s): Bonnen; Rose; Hegar; Gattis; Gonzales

Read first time 134. Referred to Appropriations 134.

HB 59. Relating to the calculation and imposition of ad valorem taxes by certain taxing units and to certain limitations on the ad valorem tax rates of certain taxing units.

Authors(s): Isett, Carl

Read first time 134. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 134.

HB 60. Relating to the exercise of eminent domain authority or purchase of certain real property by certain nonprofit charitable corporations.

Authors(s): Coleman

Read first time 134. Referred to Land & Resource Management 134.

HB 61. Relating to the property interests of spouses in connection with certain community property and to suits affecting the parent-child relationship, including proceedings for the establishment, modification, and enforcement of child support; providing a civil penalty.

Authors(s): Goodman

Read first time 134. Referred to Juvenile Justice & Family Issues 134.

HB 62. Relating to public school instructional materials and instructional technology; making an appropriation.

Authors(s): Grusendorf; Pitts

Read first time 134. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 134. Committee report filed with committee coordinator 166. Rules suspended 141. Read second time 141. Statement of legislative intent recorded in journal 141. Amended (1-Pitts) 142. Amended (2-Pitts) 143. Amended (3-Naishtat) 143. Amended (4-Delisi) 144. Amended (5-Eissler) 144. Amended (6-Truitt) 144. Amendment withdrawn (7-Coleman) 144. Amended (8-Hochberg) 145. Passed to engrossment as amended 145. Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 145. Reason for vote recorded in journal 145. Read third time 161. Passed 161. Record vote (RV#30) 161. View house vote 161. Reason for vote recorded in journal 162. Subject to Art.III Sec.49a Texas Constitution 162. Rules suspended (House Rule 2/1(a)(9)) 163. Reported engrossed 190.

HB 63. Relating to the standard service retirement annuity for service as a member of the legislature.

Authors(s): Anchia

Read first time 158. Referred to Pensions & Investments 158.

HB 64. Relating to persons who are authorized to conduct a marriage ceremony.

Authors(s): Alonzo

Read first time 158. Referred to Juvenile Justice & Family Issues 158.

HB 65. Relating to limiting the use of eminent domain to take private property for private uses or economic development purposes.

Authors(s): Kolkhorst

Read first time 158. Referred to Land & Resource Management 158.

HB 66. Relating to the exercise of the power of eminent domain.

Authors(s): Corte, Frank; Peña

Read first time 158. Referred to Land & Resource Management 158.

HB 67. Relating to the authority of the Tarrant Regional Water District to exercise the power of eminent domain.

Authors(s): Geren

Read first time 159. Referred to Land & Resource Management 159.

HB 68. Relating to the election of and terms served by trustees of an independent school district.

Authors(s): Nixon

Read first time 189. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 189.

HB 69. Relating to the first day of instruction at a public school.

Authors(s): Nixon

Read first time 189. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 189.

HB 70. Relating to the election of and terms served by trustees of an independent school district.

Authors(s): Madden

Read first time 197. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 197.

HB 71. Relating to public education and public school finance matters.

Authors(s): Grusendorf

Read first time 197. Referred to Public Education Reform, Select 197.

HB 72. Relating to motor fuel taxes.

Authors(s): Kefffer, Jim

Read first time 204. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 204.

HB 73. Relating to franchise tax benefits for certain entities designated as enterprise projects.

Authors(s): Kefffer, Jim

Read first time 204. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 204.

HB 74. Relating to the collection of certain delinquent obligations by the office of the attorney general.

Authors(s): Kefffer, Jim

Read first time 204. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 204.

HB 75. Relating to safety measures for culverts or other similar flood or drainage systems maintained by governmental entities.

Authors(s): Dutton

Read first time 204. Referred to Environmental Regulation 204.

HB 76. Relating to the financing of public schools and reduction of school property taxes through the restricted establishment and operation of video lottery terminals at Texas racetracks licensed to conduct pari-mutuel wagering.

Authors(s): Hupp

Read first time 211. Referred to Property Tax Relief, Select 211.